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That we made and conceived the invention described and claimed in patent application Serial Number 10/771,587, filed in the United States of America on February 4, 2004 entitled "Cooled Rotor Blade with Vibration Damping Device;  
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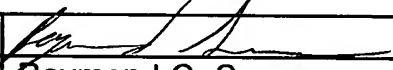
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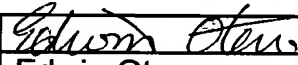
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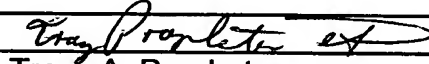
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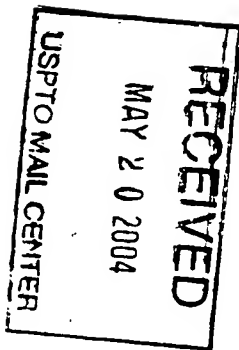
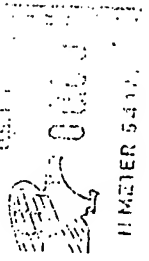
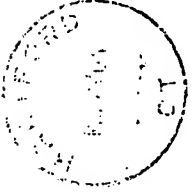
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